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List of Abbreviations used

TLR Toll Like Receptors

SNP Single Nucleotide Polymorphism

IFN Interferon

IL Interleukin

DC Dendritic Cells

PCR Polymerase Chain Reaction

RT-PCR Real-Time Polymerase Chain Reaction

RFLP Restriction Fragment Length Polymorphism

TB Tibeto- Burmans

AA Austro-Asiatic

Be Bengali

Ot Others